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PRESCOTT, ARIZONA, WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1904.

Forty-First Year.

EXHIBITION OF DEEP SEA DIVING
AS GIVEN BY CAPTAIN SORCHO

One of the interesting features accompanying the carnival is the exhibition of deep sea diving by Captain Sorcho, probably the most noted deep sea diver in the world. Captain Sorcho volunteered his services to the government at the time of the sinking of the battleship Maine, and it was he who recovered so many bodies from the sunken vessel. What others dare not attempt he accomplished with the greatest apparent ease and skill, recovering 132 bodies. It was his testimony and investigation that gave the court of inquiry its first proof that the ship had been blown up by external explosives and that her magazines

on the rail holding the lines and hose. The old diver at once became interested and said, "What you doing, boss, fishing?" The quick witted tender replied, "Yes, uncle, and I expect to catch a big one in a few minutes." Just then the captain gave a signal that he was coming up and to haul in the slack of the lines, the tender remarked to the diver "I've got him," and commenced to haul in the slack of the lines as the captain ascended the ladder. The old diver was all aglow and his eyes stuck out like two saucers to see what kind of a fish was to be caught with so many and such large fishing lines, as it ap-

MAKING WATER-TIGHT JOINT BETWEEN
BREASTPLATE AND DRESS

had not exploded as the Spanish claimed. The captain tells many interesting stories of his experiences under the water, some of them very amusing.

He tells one of an instance when he was diving on the James river below Richmond and was at the bottom working on a sunken vessel when an old country dicker, who had never seen a diver, came rowing along with a boat load of watermelons, and stopped alongside the wrecking steamer where the captain was at work and asked for a drink of water, while waiting until the captain's tender sitting

peered to him as the queer shaped monster came to the surface with the glistening helmet of copper and the three big glass eyes and the hissing sound of the air as it escaped from the valve in the side of the helmet scared the old dicker about half to death. With a yell of "Lord save us," and a wild leap capered the boat and swam ashore leaving the river dotted with watermelons, which were afterwards collected by the steamer's crew and eaten with much relish.

Captain Sorcho can be seen daily under the water in a big tent on the west side of the plaza.

MINING INTELLIGENCE

Chas. W. Platt came up on this morning's train from Kirkland and will return tonight accompanied by Ray Hill of the Samuel Hill Hardware Co. They have completed the installation of the new hoisting plant on the Illinois Mining property and have made several short runs to test the machinery and hoist it up. Mr. Platt expects to start up in earnest tomorrow and will start two shifts of men to work in the mine sinking the shaft and expects in a short time to increase the working force to three shifts.

John Haider, father of J. P. Haider, of Prescott, and his son-in-law, J. K. Miller, have been working some claims in the Santa Maria district near the Sultan mine and have just encountered some fine ore. The ledge is about nine feet wide and there is a streak on the foot wall about twenty inches in width from which they took two samples and had them assayed. One went \$249 and the other \$506. There is between four and five feet of the ledge next to the hanging wall on one side and next to this rich streak on the foot wall which assays from \$5 to \$6 per ton. Another part of the ledge in the center, between four and five feet wide gives an assay of from \$12 to \$14 per ton. The size of these ore bodies and the values obtained from them is certainly very encouraging and they will continue development work. The properties are located in a good section of the country.

C. A. Chamber who recently negotiated the purchase of some very valuable gold properties in the Cherry Creek district left this morning for his home in Indianapolis. Prior to his departure he let a contract to L. N. Wombacher and J. R. Boyer to run a 300 foot tunnel on the Cactus claim and the work will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

Superintendent Elmer Wells, of the Lelan mine, states that the contract let some time since for sinking an

other hundred feet on that property has been completed, and work will be commenced drifting. The shaft is now down 500 feet, the recent contract being for sinking it from the 400 to the 500 level. The shaft is sunk on the ledge and they had good ore the entire distance, in fact there is ore in all the openings of the mine.

E. D. Treadwell, superintendent of the Geo. A. Treadwell company, has decided to discard the hydro carbon process for smelting in the new smelter recently erected at Mayer, and to replace it with the old fashioned but always reliable, water jacket process. The hydro carbon smelter was probably better known as the oil burning furnace and so far as the oil at Mayer is concerned it can be marked up as a failure. The work of transforming the smelter is now in progress and will be rushed through to completion as rapidly as possible. A body of very rich ore was recently encountered on the 300 foot level of the Hackberry mine, and Mr. Treadwell thinks he will have a sufficient amount of ore to keep the smelter supplied from the properties of the company.

PUBLIC RECORDS.

The following is the daily report of instruments filed in the county recorder's office, as reported by the Prescott Title Company:

April 23.—F J Van Mol files a work on Road mine, Walnut grove dist.

I Y Foster to Philip Rausch, deed to a quarter of Nitrate mine, Castle Creek dist., \$150.

I Y Foster to I Y Anderson, deed to a quarter of Nitrate mine, Castle Creek dist., \$150.

F D Ridgers to Sam Franklin, deed to Copper Nelly mine, Black Rock dist.

Sam Franklin to Jas P Cookman, deed to half of some property, \$100.

D E Rowe and W D Gardner incorporate Florence Gold Mining and Milling Co, capital stock, \$1,000,000.

A A Johns and wife to Paul A

Johns, deed to half interest in lots 8, 9, 10, blk 25, Prescott, \$900.

Wm C Kent to Wm McWhorter, deed to half of Snowfield mine, Hassayampa dist., \$1000.

Martin Schuler files a work on numerous mines in Copper Basin dist.

O A Lordal, N Wilcox and A Jewell incorporate Elouise Mining Co, capital stock, \$500,000.

Eight mining location notices.

April 23.—Inglenook Mining Co locates Battle Ax mine Squaw Peak dist.

J R Boyer and L N Wombacher and wife to C A Chambers, deed to Hunter, Victor, Gold Nugget, Alamo, Clair Lee, and Georgia B mines, Cherry Creek dist., \$7500.

N Wombacher and wife to Chas A Chambers, deed to Monitor, Umpire, Monument, Granite, G and View, Portland and Conger mines, Cherry Creek dist., \$7500.

E C Poston and E L Hart, jr, and wife to C F Werry, deed to lot 13, blk 1, Prescott, \$500.

D J Hobbs locates Hard Luck mine, Hassayampa dist.

John Dobbler and James Patton locates Nabob and Shylack mines, Castle Creek dist.

April 27.—John Miller to the Provident Gold Mining Co, deed to Mountain View, Black Hawk, Mary Ann, Golden Star, Bi-Metallic, Commander, Union, Old Glory and Gold King mines, Black Rock dist., \$10,000.

M R Parker amends locations of three mines in Bigbig dist.

F Zammovitch and R Rodriguez locates five mines in Black Rock dist.

Chas Kingsley to L Dandrea and J Bartolomeo lease on saloon building at Bigbig, \$620.

April 28.—J W Pitts files a work on four mines in Verde district.

J W Pitts locates three mines in Verde district.

John Berrie and E E Martin amend location of Senate mine, Walker district.

S J Gnash, C W Hicke et al incorporate Prescott Co-Operative association, capital stock, \$100,000.

D J Sullivan, county assessor, appoints E E Chesburg deputy.

April 29.—Philip Healy locates Homestead mine, Turkey creek dist.

J B Lecor and W A Hawkins locate three mines in Black Hills dist.

John Ryan, trustee, to T G Norris and John Curran, deed to Vinegar mine, Walker district.

C A Bashford and wife to T G Norris, deed to lots 14 and 16, blk 3, East Prescott, \$1150.

H B Wood to J R McDonald, P C Wilder, M G Burns, and J L Davis, deed to Moon mine, Hassayampa dist.

Sheriff renews appointment of Joe Spitz and Joe Puette as deputies.

Chas A Feast locates Gold Nugget mine, Eureka district.

Geo Myers et al locate Torrens and Endependence mines, Weaver dist.

Joe Mayer, E D Treadwell and Geo B Scamell incorporate Mayer Realty and Investment Co, capital stock, \$100,000.

Joe Slaughter locates Mother Lode mine, Iron Mountain dist.

T G Norris and wife to E C Avery, deed to lot 16 blk 3, East Prescott, \$2000.

United States to B B Cragg, patent to one half of one fourth of sec 17, 13 n 4 w.

United States to John Casanberg, patent to one half of one fourth of sec 16, and one fourth of sec one fourth sec 17, tp 13 n, r 4 w.

Telegraphic Sparks.

Washington, April 28.—The second session of the 58th congress was declared adjourned at two o'clock by president pro tem Frye, of the senate, and by Speaker Cannon of the house.

At 11:25 the president affixed his signature to the last of the general survey measures and the post office appropriation bills. Prior to that time he signed the sundry civil general deficiency and military academy bills, in addition to scores of measures of minor importance.

The last important bills to receive the signature of the president was the river and harbor and the Panama canal measures.

In the house Allison, chairman of the committee on appropriations, submitted a series of tables showing an increase of \$28,000,000 over the appropriations of the last session.

Cassius presented a review of the appropriations for the past twelve years. He said the total expenditures of the Roosevelt administration is \$2,640,000,000 or \$11,000,000 greater than the four years of the McKinley administration and \$883,000,000 greater than the four years of Cleveland's administration.

Clinton placed the total appropriations of this session at \$781,000,000 and the obligations incurred at \$24,000,000, or eight hundred million dollars all told, not including the appropriation for the Panama canal.

San Francisco, April 28.—The armored cruiser California was launched today at the ship yards of the Union Iron works this city.

It was christened by Miss Florence May Pardee, daughter of Governor Pardee. The vessel has a displacement of 13,440 tons, and has a speed of twenty knots. The total cost will be \$5,000,000.

Washington, April 28.—The president has appointed Thomas C. Dawson, present secretary of the United States legation at Rio De Janeiro, Brazil, as United States minister to San Domingo. The position carries a salary of five thousand a year.

Paris, April 28.—The Temps' correspondent at St. Petersburg telegraphs as follows:

"The Russian column is about twenty miles from Wonsang where the Japanese column has fortified itself. The Vladivostok squadron supports the movement of Russian columns. Some skirmishes have occurred on the right bank of the Yalu, resulting favorably to the Russians. Thus far only the advance guard of the Japanese have crossed the river, but the passage of the entire army is imminent."

Washington, April 28.—A cablegram from Tokio, received by the Japanese minister here, sustains the details of

the Tokio accounts of the fighting at the mouth of the Yalu river.

Paris, April 28.—Final details of the big financial operations involving the Panama canal payment are almost concluded the expectations being that an agreement will be reached today or tomorrow. J. P. Morgan is personally directing the transactions.

Lansing, Mich., April 28.—Four lives were lost last night by the burning of the Bryan house, a three story brick structure.

Naples, April 28.—The inhabitants of this city do not remember such a scene in late years compared to the scene today, the occasion being the visit of President Loubet, of France.

The gathering crowds of Italians, and foreigners was almost unprecedented and it is estimated that twenty thousand people crowded the cafes and wandered through the streets all night, unable to find beds.

The spectacle of the French and Italian squadrons being anchored side by side was a magnificent and most imposing one.

Kinnawick, Mo., April 30.—The first morning train on the Iron Mountain railroad, running as a World's Fair special was wrecked a mile and a half from here by the engine striking an open switch. With the exception of the sleeper, all the coaches were derailed. Many persons were killed and injured but the exact number was not obtainable.

Among the dead are Engineer Bailey, and Master Mechanic Tabor. The latter was riding on the engine.

Denver, April 30.—Wm. Ward, the national organizer of the United mine workers of America was beaten almost to death last night by some unknown men and Sergeant Cole.

Halifax, N. S., April 30.—A message received here states that the Steamer Orono of Annapolis, bound from West India for Halifax with molasses was wrecked at Herring cove and all on board were lost.

Los Angeles, April 30.—United States Judge Wellborn, today issued an order from the circuit court, temporarily restraining the striking Santa Fe machinists of Los Angeles, Barstow, San Bernardino, and Needles from interfering with the new men employed by the company in place of the strikers and enjoining those on a strike from in any way hindering the operation of the company's business. The date for hearing is set for May 12.

San Francisco, May 2.—Dr. August Greth made a successful ascension in his airship today, rising to a height of several hundred feet, circling, maneuvering and steering against the wind without any difficulty.

He started for San Jose, but one valve of the engine became clogged, necessitating a descent at the town of Colma, which was accompanied without any trouble.

The voyage lasted over an hour, and was considered one of the most successful.

Needles, Cal., May 2.—Promptsly at nine o'clock this morning the machinists' apprentices, handy men and helpers, about seventy five in number, walked out of the Santa Fe shops here in sympathy with the striking machinists. Their organization is known as the International Metal Workers association.

Little progress is being made by the non union men in the shops and work in them is practically at a standstill.

Boston, May 2.—The principal difficulty to occur on May day in New England was a strike of more than fifteen hundred bakers in this city and in nearby places.

Waterbury, Conn., May 2.—A general strike of all the trades unions of this city, numbering four hundred, began today.

Schenectady, May 2.—The members of the tinsmith and the coal handlers union numbering all three hundred men went out today on a strike.

Topeka, May 2.—When the two thousand machinists and workmen gathered at the big shops of this city this morning to go to work they found the gates closely locked and themselves barred out. Santa Fe officials claim that they are simply anticipating the strike.

Learning that a strike of the machinists had been ordered for nine o'clock this morning the go to work they ordered the shops closed down and at every other shop town on the Santa Fe system between Chicago and Albuquerque. It is estimated that ten thousand men are affected by the closing.

Chicago, May 2.—Three strikes, and one lockout became effective here today in consequence of which sixty thousand wage earners are idle. The picture frame makers to the number of seventeen hundred struck, and five thousand bolt and shoe makers were locked out. One hundred teamsters also struck, nine bakers concerns are also tied up by a strike of four hundred men.

Sabangal, May 2.—Reports received here of the fighting on the Yalu place the Russian casualties at 800, also twenty officers, and eighteen machine guns were captured. The Japanese casualties numbered 700.

Tokio, May 2.—Twice Admiral Kamimura, who is in command of the Japanese squadron operating recently against Vladivostok has sent a report from Gen. San, dated on Sunday, May 1, which says an impenetrable fog has twice forced his abandonment of an attack on Vladivostok and twice spared the Russian squadron from a sea fight.

Chicago, May 2.—The machinists of two shops of the Santa Fe here today have obeyed the strike order.

St. Petersburg, May 3.—The silence of the authorities here regarding the later details of the fighting on the Yalu is interpreted ominously.

The absence of official information is explained by the general staff to the fact that a few Japanese succeeded in getting in the rear of the Russian position, cutting the wires between the San Cheng and Feng Wang Cheng.

Heavy losses are admitted but it is not believed they will exceed a few hundred and a few guns.

There is no confirmation of the report of General Samulitch and Kashtalsky being wounded.

TOGO AT HIS OLD
TRICKS AGAINMakes Another Attempt
to Cork Bottle.Eight Fireships Sent to Entrance
of Port Arthur Stuck by Russians—Entrance Still Open.

St. Petersburg, May 3.—Admiral Togo made another desperate attempt to block the entrance to Port Arthur last night but failed.

Viceroy Alexieff has reported officially that the Japanese sent eight fire ships to block the entrance, but all were sunk by the Russian torpedo boats and the fire from the land batteries, leaving the channel still clear.

The viceroy also reported that the Russians sank two of the Japanese torpedo boats. The two ships were discovered by the searchlights of the batteries and the guard ships. They were creeping toward Port Arthur from the east and southeast, shortly after midnight.

The torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers were ordered out but none of the larger warships. Viceroy Alexieff himself went on board the coast defense vessel Otavashin.

The guardships at the entrance to the harbor and the forts opened a direct fire on the fireships, which lasted until five o'clock this morning when the fire ships went down. The official report does not specify where the steamers sunk but it is plain that the Japanese attempt to cork the entrance to Port Arthur failed.

Steamers armed with Hotchkiss and Maxim guns responded hotly to the Russian fire. The Russians succeeded in saving a few members of the crews of the fire ships including two of the officers.

RETURN TO FIGHT.

Port Arthur, May 3.—The Japanese squadron appeared off Port Arthur after daybreak today again and engaged the forts and warships. The fight is still proceeding. Thirty Japanese prisoners have been captured.

WEEK OF MIRTH,
MUSIC AND FUN

Carnival Has Successful Opening.

The Company Makes Good All Its Promises For Good, Clean Entertainments.

Considering the weather, the carnival had an auspicious opening last night. By the time set for the opening performances, most of the shows were in place ready for business.

About 7:45 the hour for opening a slight rain shower set in. It was not much of a shower, but just enough to moisten Achille Philion's spiral tower, and to wet Diavolo's loop, so that both of these performances were compelled to be omitted. On account of the rain, the stadium was not lighted up and no performance was given in it.

The balance of the shows, including the big Ferris wheel, were doing business and were well patronized.

If the carnival company has omitted to furnish anything promised in their advertisements no one seems to have discovered it, as there has been no word of complaint heard yet.

As a matter of fact every promise made is being fully kept and the shows are all up to representations.

A Journal-Miner representative visited a few of the attractions last evening and witnessed for himself the entertainment furnished by the tented shows.

The first place visited was Philion's royal midgets. They are four in number ranging in age from 15 to 25 and in weight from thirty to forty five pounds, and in height—well about the height of a medium sized doll. They furnish visitors a little drama act, and then hold a reception where all can shake hands and converse with them. The little folks are quite interesting.

Kashtalsky, a spectacular show, and one of the finest attractions offered in the entire aggregation, was the next one visited. A beautiful young lady is the star actor in this show, and poses and dances before an electric light of many colors, giving illumination of dances. The rapidly changing colors, make a very attractive entertainment, and one can obtain a much better idea of its beauty by witnessing it than by reading any account of it that can be written. The Journal-Miner can vouch for the show, saying that it is a very interesting and beautiful one.

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land furnishes a fine minstrel show and Fairland is full of interest. Egan the snake eater, is also an attraction which arouses one's curiosity.

The crowning act of last evening though was the free show on the east side of the plaza where Harry Du Bell does his wire rope bicycle act amidst a regular volcano of fireworks. If nothing were found in any of the other shows to please a visitor this act alone would remunerate one for the price of admission to all of them and after seeing it he would feel that he had received his money's worth.

Tonight all the free acts will be given, the stadium will be open with its numerous attractions, including the loop the loop act, with the addition of crowning the queen.

War News of the Week.

St. Petersburg, April 28.—The Russian torpedo boats belonging to the Vladivostok squadron, sank the Japanese military transport, Kinshin Maru, of four thousand tons, during the night of April 26, with all on board with the exception of seventeen officers, twenty soldiers, sixty five of the crew, and eighty five coolie carriers.

The others who refused to surrender were sent to the bottom with the ship. The official report of Admiral Yezzen to the emperor follows:

"During the night of April 26, two Russian torpedo boats met at sea, the Japanese military transport Kinshin Maru, four thousand tons, laden with rice and other military stores, and fifty hundred tons of coal. The transport was armed with four hotchkiss guns of 47 millimeters. The Russians carried seventeen officers, eighty five military carriers, sixty five of the crew and twenty soldiers, who surrendered. The remainder of the men who were to form a landing party were left without officers, and obstinately refused to go on board the Russian cruiser and further offered armed resistance to the Russians. In the end they were sent to the bottom with the transport."

The number of men drowned is not given. Admiral Yezzen also reports that besides sinking the Japanese steamer Goyo Maru, at Genzan on April 25, the Russians sank the same steamer, the Japanese steamer Nakamura Maru of 230 tons, whose crew was saved. The associated press is informed that no further news has been received from Genzan or Yalu.

JAPANESE REPORT DISASTER.

Tokio, April 28.—A telegram from Gen San says that the Japanese naval transport Kinshin Maru was sunk near Shimpa, north of Gen San on Wednesday. The vessel was five thousand tons.

Tokio, April 28.—The Japanese general Yama accompanied by several torpedo boats entered and ascended the Yalu river on Monday, April 25, and fought a series of small engagements with the Russian land forces.

Admiral Hozoya in command of the third squadron in his official report says:

"Our detachment reached the Yalu on Monday. While going up the stream the enemy's field guns opened against us without effect. We discovered a force of the enemy on